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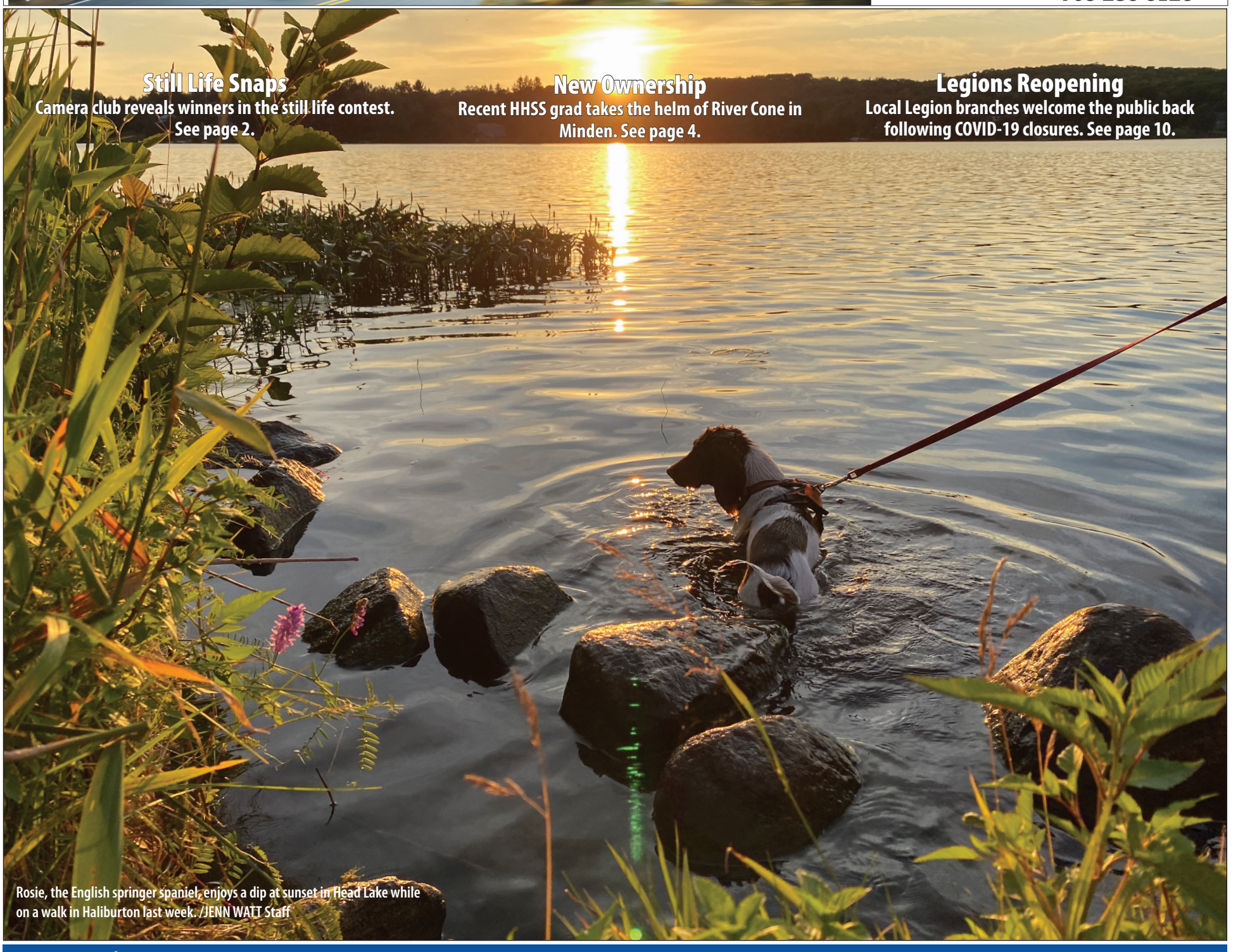

Still Life Snaps

Camera club reveals winners in the still life contest. See page 2.

New Ownership

Recent HHSS grad takes the helm of River Cone in Minden. See page 4.

Legions Reopening

Local Legion branches welcome the public back following COVID-19 closures. See page 10.

Rosie, the English springer spaniel, enjoys a dip at sunset in Head Lake while on a walk in Haliburton last week. /JENN WATT Staff

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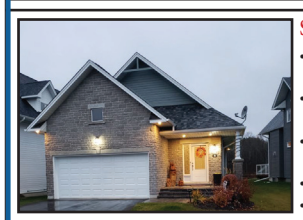

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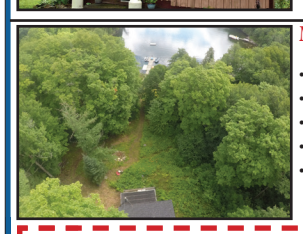

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Still life category winners

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Left, 1st intermediate: "Found objects" by Hana Curtis,
Above, 1st novice: "Threads in a Row" by Catherine Dennis.
The Haliburton Highlands Camera Club continues to be active online and holds monthly meetings by Zoom. Visit their website at highlandscameraclub.ca to view all amazing competition images and follow them on Facebook.

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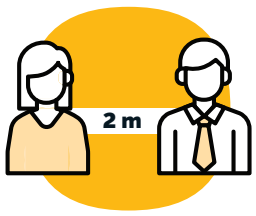

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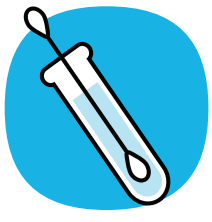

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2020 Haliburton Highlands Secondary School graduate Destiny Wilson-Wells welcomes people to enjoy a homemade burger and milkshake at The Minden River Cone, which she will officially take ownership of in August. Wilson-Wells said it's her passion for cooking that motivated her to buy the iconic eatery from Paul Barclay./DARREN LUM Staff

Minden River Cone has Destiny on its side

DARREN LUM
County Life Staff

Patrons of Minden's River Cone will be able to continue enjoying the unique experience of ordering their burger and milkshake out of a giant soft-serve ice cream cone, with a young new owner, who has a passion for food.

Recent Haliburton Highlands Secondary School graduate Destiny Wilson-Wells said buying The Minden River Cone from Paul Barclay was about love.

"I've always been passionate about cooking so when I figured out that I could work here most of the time and when I had the opportunity to purchase, I hopped on as soon as I could," she said.

The 19-year-old said the business is in her name, but was purchased with the help of her mother, Kelly Wilson. The Minden River Cone will keep its name, she said.

When she was 14 years old, the River Cone was her first job.

"I heard about it from my friend and she said she was going to come and work here. 'Hey, maybe we can work together.' And then both of us fell in love with the job," she said.

She learned about the daily operation of the business from taking cash to working with customers to cooking and ordering supplies.

Wilson-Wells graduated on June 25 and opened the eatery, located next to the Gull River in downtown Minden, the next day.

She said buying this business was partly due to her work experience, but was also related to her connection to the past owner.

"It was a great little summer job. I loved my boss. My boss was kind of like a father figure to me so I connected well with him," she said.

With her mom's help, she is running the business with two full-time employees until it closes for the season mid-October. She plans on reopening mid-May next year. The hours of operation are seven days a week from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. The restaurant offers take-out food with open air and sheltered seating next to the river, including a playground in the form of a masted ship and outdoor movie viewing area with screen at the back.

From what she has seen this season, the business has been "better than expected from last year."

Although the official date of the hand-off for the business isn't until mid-August, she said the transition has been assisted by Barclay.

There's been "lots of inspiring people in my life," she said, who are behind her in her decision to get into the restaurant business.

Wilson-Wells said her inspiration and early education on cooking came from her step-father, chef Nick Draker-Fortis, who taught her at home as a child, sharing his knowledge as a chef and culinary programs technologist at Fleming College in Peterborough. She remembers being taken by her step-

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Restaurant to continue to serve menu favourites

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father to a Fleming College open house as a three-year-old where there were culinary demonstrations for visitors.

Wilson-Wells also studied hospitality and tourism all four years she attended HHSS.

HHSS teacher Melissa Stephens is one of her other culinary inspirations; Stephens taught her for two and a half years in the hospitality and tourism program.

She said there will be a few changes to the menu, which includes a kids' menu, but nothing drastic that would concern regulars.

"We are probably going to change up the menu a little bit, but we're going to try to stick relatively the same and hoping to expand in couple years or a few years," she said.

She said the menu will change for greater diversity of items, adding vegan options. However regular patrons of the eatery who love the hamburgers don't have to worry about missing out because those won't change "because our homemade recipe is a big hit around town and a big tourist attraction." Ice cream will obviously stay on the menu.

As a recent HHSS grad, taking ownership of this establishment comes with a sense of pride, she said.

She has hopes of opening another restaurant in the area.

She'd also like to open up the movie screening area behind the cone by the end of this season or next year, which will help to draw more people.

Her message to the public?

"I'm really excited to open and I hope that it goes well," she said.

Saddle up

A silhouetted rider gets ready for a ride with South Algonquin Trails Inc. during summer programming on Friday, July 24 in Harcourt. The Highlands East operator started its summer season on Monday, June 29 and offers programming Monday to Friday from 9 a.m. to noon during the months of July and August. Operator and owner Tammy Donaldson said, "Horseback riding is a great way to enjoy the outdoors and trails, all while staying six feet apart."/DARREN LUM Staff

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Gardening for wildlife

MONIKA MELICHAR
Special to *County Life*

A FEW YEARS AGO, I had the great pleasure of attending the New York State wildlife rehab conference and sitting in on a most fascinating talk by Doug Tallamy, a professor of entomology and wildlife ecology at the University of Delaware. His lecture resonated deeply with my beliefs and understanding of our natural world. His passion was contagious. What I took home with me and wish to share with you now is his motto: Garden as if life depended on it.

Every living creature on earth relies on their regional native plants for survival. They will not, and most cannot, feed from exotics. Planting exotic trees and flowers diminishes the health and function of our ecosystem. And yes, the property you live on, your front yard, your garden is an ecosystem for some critter. When you enhance your gardens with lots of native plants, not only do you celebrate our natural heritage, you reconnect your property to the natural world around you. If your neighbours do the same, you create linked corridors for so many migratory species of birds.

Our native plants are the foundation of local food webs, and many of these plants are just as beautiful and ornamental as commonly planted exotics. There's asters and thistles, blue flags and day lilies, bonesets and joe-pyes, honeysuckles and swamp roses, maples and my favourite, red and white oaks.

Did you know that a single oak tree can support and feed more than 500 species of caterpillars and you will rarely see any damage to the tree? These caterpillars are a vital food source for most of our songbirds, and the main food source for their babies. When we favour pristine grass lawns and exotic ornamental plants, we're eliminating the primary food source for these caterpillars and other insects. Our native insects will not feed from exotic plants, and that equates to fewer insects and fewer birds

Native vegetation can help the critters you find on your property. When you enhance your gardens with lots of native plants, not only do you celebrate our natural heritage, you reconnect your property to the natural world around you. /MONIKA MELICHAR Special to County Life

That adorable pair of chickadees at your feeder require more than 6,000 caterpillars to successfully raise just one batch of young. That's the power and importance of planting native plants!

You can make a real difference and attract a huge variety of bird and wildlife species to your property, not just with birdseed and deer feed, but by providing them with the four basic needs to life – habitat, native food, water, and places to find shelter.

To be honest, gardening is not my forte; I am a wildlife rehabilitator, and definitely don't have a green thumb, but I whole-heartedly believe we must do our best to weed out exotics and get back to nature.

Here in Haliburton, we have a wonderful and resourceful organization whose mission is to advance the public's awareness, understanding and appreciation of our ecosystems. Friends of Ecological and Environmental Learning, or FEEL, will help with suggestions on how you can beautify your property, create wildlife habitats, plant wild edibles, naturalize a shoreline, reforest an open area and even control erosion, so you can sit back and watch butterflies, birds and other wild ones enjoy the fruits of your labour! Visit them online at ecoenvirolearn.org.

Moreover, drop by one of our local garden centres, they really know their stuff!

Monika Melichar runs the Woodlands Wildlife Sanctuary in Minden Hills, a volunteer-based charity that rehabilitates and releases sick, orphaned and injured wildlife back into the wild. To find out more about the sanctuary, go to woodlandswildlifesanctuary.ca.

Top 10 reasons why I don't read online comments

THESE DAYS, I do a lot of online reading, especially when it comes to news that isn't local. In doing so, I have learned that a lot of people have too much time on their hands – and many of those people waste it making comments. Here then are the top 10 reasons why I ignore the comment sections.

1. Many are written by people who would find fault with Mother Teresa.
2. I suspect tinfoil hats are influencing thought processes.
3. I do not enjoy reading desperate cries for help.
4. There are some things even spellcheck can't fix.
5. I get tired of thinking, "Who hurt you?"
6. Call me weird but I like lowercase letters too.
7. I usually have just enough time to read the article *or* the opinion of someone who didn't read it – but not both.
8. If I wanted to find trolls, I'd look under bridges.
9. I'd rather go to the meme that was the source of your thesis.
10. Just because you went to the "School of Hard Knocks" doesn't mean you graduated.

STEVE GALEA
Humour Columnist

Community Events

Haliburton Legion Clubroom Reopening

When: Aug. 4, 2 to 6 p.m.
The Haliburton Legion Clubroom will be reopening, enter by side door only, for members and their guests. On Aug. 14 the meat draw will start up again. No bingo is allowed yet. Reopening is part of stage 3 of the province's plan, which limits overall capacity to 50 people. Masks are mandatory, but can be removed once you're seated. Social distancing is required and hand sanitizer provided. The Legion office continues to be open from Monday to Friday, 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Beef on a Bun Drive Thru

When: Wednesday, Aug. 5 from 5 to 8 p.m. (or until sold out)
Where: Rotary Beach parking lot, Haliburton (beside tennis courts on Park Street)
Although there is no Rotary Carnival this year, the long-awaited beef on a bun will continue to be served as a drive-thru experience. Beef on a bun and a pop costs $10. Payment accepted: credit/debit "tap" cards and exact change. Money raised goes to support community initiatives.

Art on the Dock

When: Saturday, Aug. 8 from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Sunday, Aug. 9 from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.
Where: Studios around Kennisis Lake
Check out the talent of various local artists around Kennisis Lake. COVID-19 protocols will be observed including hand sanitizer and masks. Go to www.klcoa.org for map and more information.

Grand Opening of RE/MAX Professionals North Brokerage

When: Thursday, Aug. 13, 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.
Where:12621 Highway 35, Minden
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Environment Haliburton: Summer Speaker

When: Thursday, Aug. 13 at 7 p.m.
Where: via zoom (please visit www.environmenthaliburton.org to register)
What: Speaker is Russ Christianson, author, activist and economic developer who will talk about a just and green economic recovery from the pandemic.
Cost: no charge
For more info, please contact Terry Moore at 705-306-9254

Golf Tournament

When: Monday, Aug. 17, noon
Where: Blairhampton Golf Club, 1557 Duck Lake Rd., Minden
Raising money for Abbey Gardens, this fun afternoon of golf starts at noon with registration and a box lunch. Staggered starts, tee times TBC. Dinner follows at Abbey Gardens at 6 p.m. where there will be awards, food and beer tasting. Proceeds go to educational programming.
Contact: Janis Parker janis@parkerpad.com or Heather Reid heather@abbeygardens.ca

Dinner and Concert

When: Saturday, Aug. 22, 5:30 p.m.
Where: Abbey Gardens
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Contact: Janis Parker at janis@parkerpad.com, for tickets.

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When: Aug. 24 to 30
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Bingo proceeds fund food banks

Money collected through Canoe FM's Radio Bingo from January through June of 2020 will infuse local food banks with nearly $32,000 between them.

Bingo proceeds are split between Canoe FM, going to its broadcast expenses, and local charity. The charities change over time.

According to information from Canoe FM, the Minden Food Bank will use the money to bulk purchase food, which will be distributed to all of the county's food banks, based on need.

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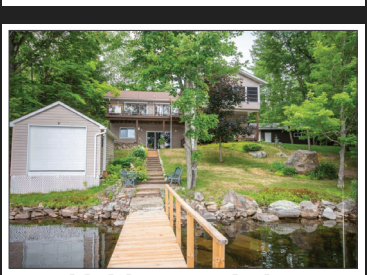

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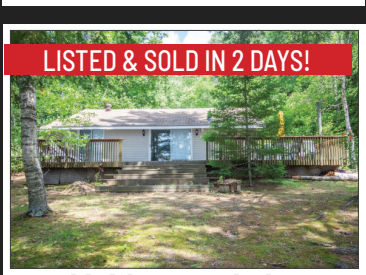

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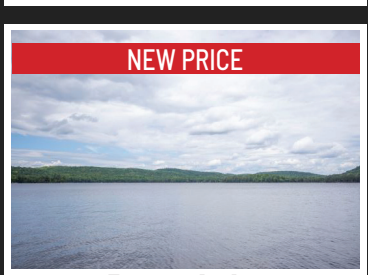

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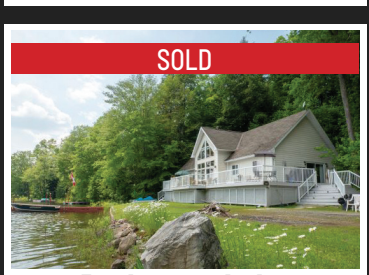

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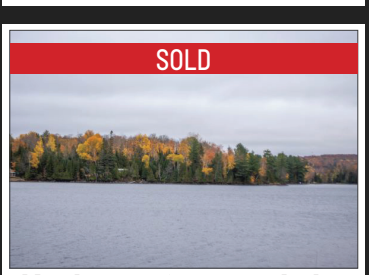

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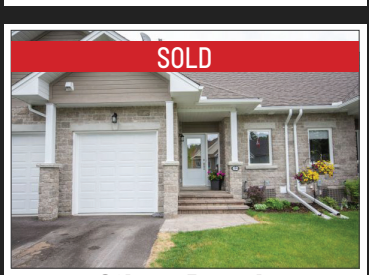

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Kindness rocks

Kelly Taylor, a public health nurse, said she has always loved painting rocks. While searching for ideas on Pinterest, she came across the Kindness Rocks project.

"I believe that someone in the U.S. started it and there are many different versions," she said. "It has basically become a trend of painting rocks for others to collect or share and hopefully connect people in the community and brighten their day with this simple act of kindness." Taylor, alongside son Baylen, began with 14 rocks and have added four more to a spot alongside the Minden Riverwalk. She encouraged others to both take rocks and create new rocks with a message, symbol, picture or just colours to share with others, noting it's a project well-suited for kids to help share kindness, too.

"Big or small, it doesn't matter – really the only rule is to be kind," said Taylor. "Who knows? Maybe that message on a rock will change someone's day and bring a needed smile." /Photo submitted by Kelly Taylor

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So ... Good Luck!!!!

Contest #3

We're looking for the name of the show, the year it was presented and the names of the three actors, (either their characters or their real names), you see here. Bonus points to anyone who can name the country where this musical takes place.

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Watch for the winner to be announced and the next contest in this location in early September. *Good Luck!!!*

Legions opening their doors again to community

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County Life Staff

While three local Royal Canadian Legions in the county – Haliburton, Branch 129, Wilberforce, Branch 624, and Minden, Branch 636 – closed their doors alongside other Legions across the country on March 17 to help reduce the spread of coronavirus, they didn't stop helping veterans in need during the shut-down, or those in need of financial support.

Now, with Phase 3 initiated by the province allowing buildings to be open with social distancing measures in place, the Legions are opening back up for those looking to get out of the house and socialize once again, which may recoup some of their losses.

Wilberforce's Douglas C. Hatch branch reopened on July 22.

"We just reopened yesterday, and we're going to see how it goes," said president John Glassey. "We've had to reduce our hours, and we're working with what we've got. There's some of the stuff we can't do right now – a lot of the events we would have, have been cancelled, we can't do dances or anything like that."

Glassey said since March, the Legion has had to cancel numerous events and fundraisers that usually bring the community together and help fundraise for the Legion's efforts: fishing derbies, horseshoe tournaments, a golf tournament – all cancelled while the country's top medical officer asked for people to stay home, and then the province's emergency state called for no gatherings, eventually allowing only small gatherings.

"Those are the things that make us the money, so it's going to be a hard go, but we'll do what we can," said Glassey.

Though last week's first day turnout wasn't a big one, Glassey said it hadn't been advertised much as the Legion's volunteers were "just trying to get things back in order and make sure everything's up to par."

Things will look a bit different as the Legion reopens. Card nights on Mondays can't happen due to the close contact of participants, nor Saturday's meat draws because of the handling of cash and tickets, but darts on Wednesday night with participants wearing masks might be an option, and Friday wing nights can still happen even if a jam session might not be possible.

Phase 3's allowance of groups up to 50 people inside, while still social distancing, can allow for more options than takeout, which the Wilberforce branch didn't implement due to a lack of heavy traffic along Burleigh Road, but the schedule of the Legion's future reopening all depends on whether or not people come, and what the executive – which hasn't been able to get together for elections yet or hold a general meeting with enough participating for quorum – decide will work best.

Glassey said it's been a rough go – the groups that make use of the building haven't been able to, and though not using the restaurant saved in gas for the kitchen, and not using the building offered a relief of the amount of electricity being used, the air conditioner is now up and running again. Legions across Canada haven't qualified for much of the government help that is available, and although Legion Command offered those in need some emergency help, many Legions are still struggling with the lost revenue caused by the closure. "Put it this way, our expenses are a lot more than our income right now," said Glassey.

Still, Glassey said the branch isn't looking at closure, something that more than 150 of the Legion's 1,381 branches might be facing according to media reports last week.

"Not really closure," he said. "I mean, I know it's going to be tight, we have a few things we can back up on. Normally this branch would make our money in the summer, and that gets us through the winter. Right in March when we shut down, that was the beginning of our better season, and that would go through to October. So we've got a few months to try and gain some back. So we'll see what we can do."

With hockey play-offs coming back to broadcast, Glassey is hopeful the community will feel comfortable coming out to take in a game, or that others might pick up some takeout or get together once again, though he noted there might be some patrons who were "going to be not too keen" on wearing a mask and social distancing.

"I guess we're all going to have to get used to it around here," he said. "I mean, everyone's going to have to do it no matter what they do."

Over at the Haliburton Legion, Don Pitman, first vice-president, took a break from painting and cleaning up in the basement to speak to the upcoming reopening of the Mountain Street branch.

Apart from the work of the women's auxiliary, the Haliburton branch doesn't offer food, and so opening for takeout wasn't an option. Pitman thought a soft opening might take place in August.

In the meantime, volunteers have been inside, doing what Pitman said was "a little bit of tidy-up," and preparing to open the doors once again.

"We've just started meetings back up," he said. "We're kind of hoping to be back in business from an executive and a leadership standpoint probably within the next 15 to 20 days, and then we can sort of strike out anew. We're going to have to trim our sails and change our course a little bit because it's all dictated by what the government allows you to do."

The Haliburton Legion is also not currently facing closure, according to Pitman.

"We're not in dire straits as others ... because of some really prudent financial management on some of our former leaders here, but you know there's a lot of places around that are really struggling, a lot of other Legions that we've been made aware of that are just kind of

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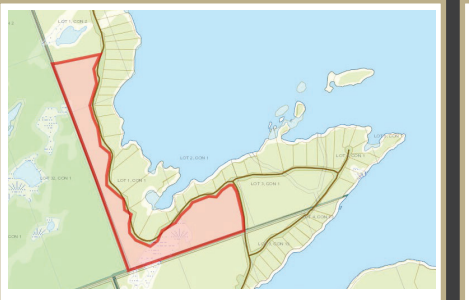

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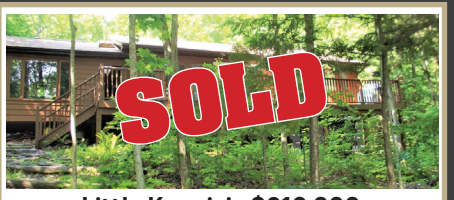

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Legions coping with COVID changes

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hanging on by their teeth," he said, noting the news of potential closures across Canada. "We're very fortunate here because we're a little bit of the heartbeat of Haliburton, so we do a lot of, well, when we can, we do a lot of weddings and events, in our 2,300 square foot hall upstairs. But that's all kind of stopped right now."

Pitman noted the Legion had recently undergone renovations that increase its attractiveness as a rental facility.

"We did a bunch of renovations last year, upstairs, and our rentals had ramped up substantially to what they were because people were liking what they saw, as far as the improvements go," he said. "And we're going to try to keep that trend going."

Pitman said he hoped to let people know that the Legion would be opening again soon, and that it would be looking for the community's support, "and we'll continue to support the community."

"We're always interested in people who want to lend a hand, either by body or by cheque book. We're pretty fortunate, we're kind of holding our own, we're just like everybody else, just trying to cope with COVID changes and limited numbers."

The Mabel Brannigan branch in Minden has been open for takeout during Phase 2, and also reopened the building to a restricted number of guests last week.

"Takeout was nowhere near our normal business but it was OK," said president Jim Ross. "It gave us a little bit of a revenue stream, and community support. That was OK, not great, but a little bit of revenue, helped pay the bills, so to speak."

Despite the response not being overwhelming, Ross said, "the word's getting out there."

The Minden branch has been able to keep its contribution level to veterans and community groups, including upcoming school programs that assist students in need, but Ross said the Legion had experienced a "serious drop in revenue" over the time it had been closed, not being able to open for celebrations of life, weddings, and group rentals.

"And remember, this is tourist season up here, this is normally our busiest section of the year, and we've been closed," he said.

Changes have been made to the Legion inside, according to recommendations from the Haliburton, Kawartha, Pine Ridge District Health Unit, including tables being spaced six feet apart, a change in patio tables to make them more comfortable and easy to clean, and staff wearing personal protection equipment. "I think we're a very, very safe environment," said Ross. "We've taken all of those steps."

He noted members and staff would like to see the crowds coming back to the restaurant again, "people back in the building and feeling safe and getting back into the swing of things," but said everyone has to feel safe for that to happen.

"I don't think there's any danger of closure," he said. "We're fine that way.

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Money from summer helps Legions get through winter

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And again we know we have a strong community base and well, I'm sure that they'll be back when they're able, when they feel safe. People have got to feel safe in the building. That's not just us, it's everywhere that is reopening, there's fear on the side of people to get back inside, they've got to know it's safe. I think, we've spent a lot of time committing ourselves to that, so I think it will happen. We'll get back, we'll get our people back and we'll be up and running."

Ross said he really wanted to see the weekly activities held for seniors: darts, euchre, card games, up and running again.

"This is where we're really hurting, this is the really difficult part is because we are really the seniors centre in the community," he said. "We don't have a seniors centre and the Legion kind of took over part of that role. They haven't been able to play cards and they haven't been able to play darts. All of that, we still can't do it because you have to maintain the social distancing. And so until we get the go ahead for that, we can't do it. The seniors are really hurting. They haven't been able to socialize, and it doesn't sound like much but weekly card games are very important to them and that hasn't been able to happen and so we're really sorry about that but we'll get it back as soon as we can."

When further restrictions are lifted and closer gatherings are allowed, Ross said the activities would be quick to come back.

"Once we've got the go-ahead from the health unit to be able to do it, we'll do it, because we know that they're really hurting, and we want to get that back up and operating as fast as we can," he said.

Now, the Legion hopes the next few months allow for business before the winter comes.

"We'll get through the pandemic all right," said Ross. "Our biggest concern is the upcoming winter. We've been without revenue for a long period of time, and up here, it's a long, cold winter. That's when we have the majority of our expenses. We're hoping we can get enough revenue stream to meet our obligations for the winter. That's our biggest concern of the whole thing. We're back open for business. And we have very strong community support, we're hoping that translates into a return to normal, some kind of normalcy as to that branch, we can get on with our business and start contributing back to the community and do the things we do."

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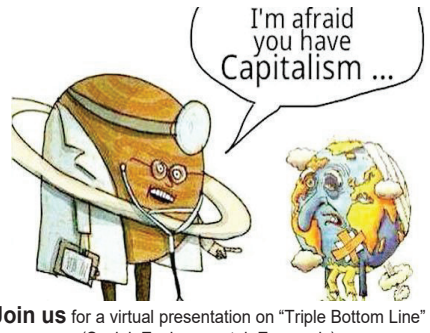

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DISCOVER DYSART
WELCOME TO MY WARD

WARD 1

Nancy Wood-Roberts is the Councillor for Ward 1 in the Municipality of Dysart et al.

Welcome to Ward 1 located in the heart of the Muncipality of Dysart! This area has so much to offer! The Village proper, has many businesses, that are more than willing and able to fulfill your needs. The local BIA works hard to beautify the Village, and I think they do an amazing job! There are beautiful parks to enjoy - Head Lake Park, here Rails End Gallery is located with exhibitions of beautiful art work! A bridge from Head Lake Park leads across the river to Rotary Park, where the beach and tennis courts are located! A weekly farmers market occurs on Tuesdays through the summer.

Glebe park has lovely walking trails, with a ball diamond for "pick up". The museum is located in this area, it contains thousands of artifacts with knowledgable, pleasant and helpful staff who are more than willing to share the history of our region. Located in Glebe Park is the sculpture forest! Something that isn't to be missed while visiting! Haliburton School of Art and Design sits within the boundary of Ward 1. They are an integral part of the community and hold many courses and programs. There is something for almost everyone! The local schools are located in Ward 1 also. Bordering on the highschool grounds, is the locomotive and airplane! The village has churches, Health Care facilities (physicians, optometrists, dental offices, hearing assessment office, massage therapists, chiropractic care, long term care facilities and an acute care hospital/emergency department!). So much to offer, in a small space! Welcome to Ward 1, please enjoy 😊

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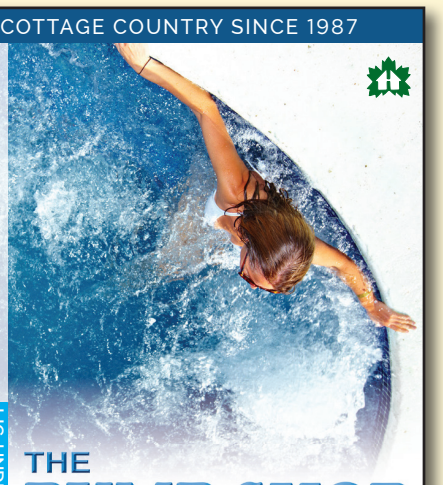

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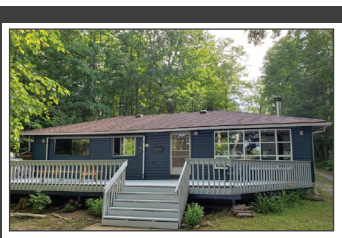
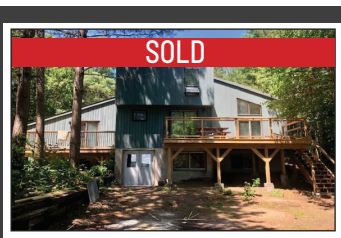


Adele Barry
705-457-0306

Trooper Lake $529,000

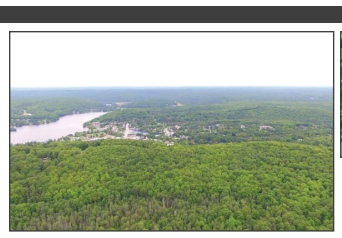
- Beautiful 3-bedroom cottage in a lovely setting
- Private location with sand beach and a boathouse on the water's edge
- Western exposure for beautiful sunset views



Drew Bishop**
Kristin Bishop*
457-2128 x23

Kennisis Lake $939,000

- One-of-a-kind Viceroy 4-bedroom, 3 bath
- Located on the northern shores of Kennisis
- Breathtaking vistas and great privacy
- Contact us for a list of the upgrades!



Dagmar Boettcher**
457-5968

Market Update!

- SELLERS- This is the summer to sell!
- Multiple offers above list price common
- BUYERS - For our larger lakes successful offers are many times cash with no conditions.

Andy Campbell
854-0292

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- Profitable opportunities
- Find out more

Gloria Carnochan*
754-1932

West Shore Rd Kennisis Lk $279,000

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- Portage 2 Redpine Lk, for canoe routes
- Snowmobiling, ATVing, biking, horse riding
- Build a home, and 2 accessory dwellings

Mark Dennys*
457-0473

Haliburton Home $209,900

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Tom Ecclestone*
286-2138 x 26

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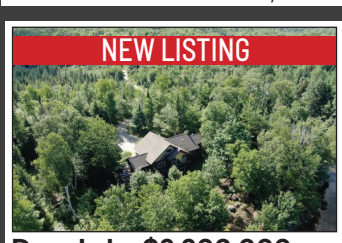
Lindsay Elder**
457-5878

Brady Lake Lot $109,999

- Western Exposure for sun all day
- Dead end road between Property & Lake
- Partially owned waterfront
- Stunning water views



Andrew Hodgson***
286-2138 x 29

Drag Lake $2,200,000

- Private Drag Lake Estate on 30+ Acres
- Stunning 3600 Sq ft Timber frame, 3 bedrooms & 4 baths
- 500' clean sand beach, breathtaking lake views

Susanne James*
& Andy Mosher**
457-2128 x 33

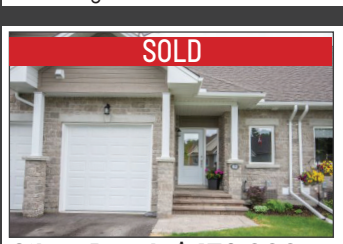
Long Lake - Building Lot $209,900

- Awesome 2-Lake chain (Long & Miskwabi)
- Driveway and building site cleared
- 110 feet of shoreline
- Elevated lot with great view, summer sunsets

David Lee*
286-2138 x 27

Norland Home $329,000

- New Home 1,000 sq ft
- 2 bedroom town water
- 5 new appliances



Donna McCallum*
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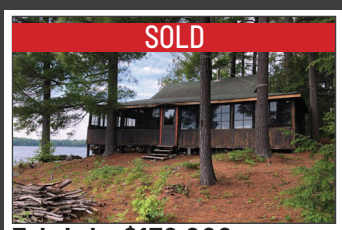
Silver Beach $479,000

- Open concept, 3-bedroom, 2 bath condo
- Located in a premium no maintenance Lifestyle community on Lake Kashagawigamog



Brandon Nimigon*
457-2128 x 27

Eels Lake $170,000

- Island lot, w/views on 3 sides, 93 yards from mainland
- 3 season cottage, 2 bdrms, loft, 3pc bath
- .39 acres on automatic 5 yr land renewal lease

Karen Nimigon**
457-6505

Haliburton Home $159,000

- Great in-town rental opportunity!
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286-2138 x 30

Industrial Park Rd $1,200,000

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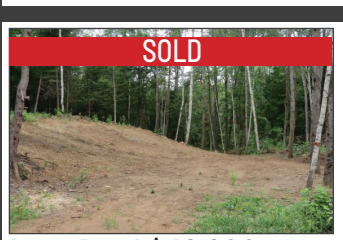
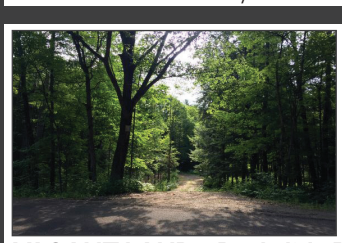


Darlene Reil*
447-2055

Loop Road $49,900

- Harcourt property over 3 acres
- Building site cleared in a park like setting



Christine Sharp*
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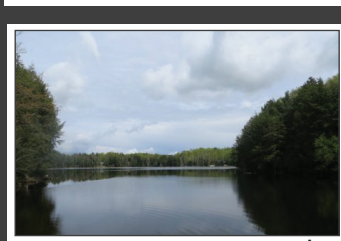

Greg Stamp*
457-2128 x 28

West Lake Building Lot $265,300

- Prime lot with a stunning view over the Lake
- Year-round township road, terrific building site
- Hydro & Bell are available at the lot line

Melanie Vigrass*
286-2138 x 32

Overlooking Green Lk $459,000

- Bungalow w/ Granny Flat
- 2.3 Acres, 496' Rd Frontage
- Dock & Pergola Lakeside
- Commercial zoning for multiple uses

Tom Wilkinson
286-2138 x 25

Twelve Mile Lake $850,000

- 3-bedroom cottage plus Bunkie
- Clean waterfront with small sand beach
- Fabulous 3 lake chain

Andrea Wilson**
457-2128 x 25

Haliburton Lake $490,000

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- 109' of clean rock & sand shoreline & deep water off the dock

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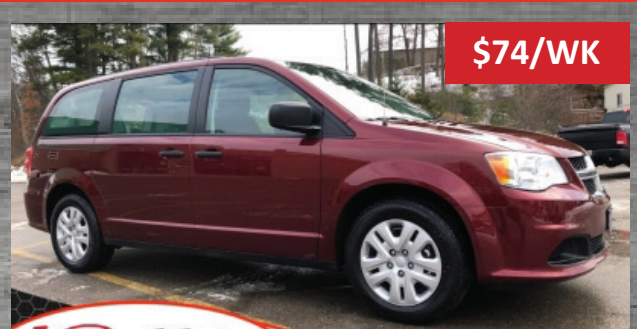

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No increase in County budget

Haliburton County taxpayers won't see an increase in the county portion of their tax bills. County council set its budget earlier this month, about three and a half months later than usual.

Confusion over responsibilities, as mandated by the provincial government, left county officials scratching their heads, wondering which bills they were going to have to pay. With the numbers finally in hand, council held a special meeting to finalize the county budget.

"It's a stand pat budget, even after incorporating the new provincial responsibilities," said county warden Murray Fearrey.

Fearrey noted there will be a 1.7 per cent reduction in expenditures from last year. In order to keep the county levy from increasing, Fearrey explained that the room to manoeuvre, because of the change in education tax, was used at the county level.

"The assessment change may reflect an increase," Fearrey said. Actual value assessment will result in increased taxes to many Haliburton County ratepayers, especially those who own waterfront property.

The provincial government has lived up to its commitment to keep the changes in taxation responsibilities "revenue neutral" by injecting the nec-

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One young member of the audience just coluldn't resist the music as folk singer David Archibald entertained Friday evening during the Music by the Gull concert. The popular entertainer blended a mixture of adult and children's songs to the delight of the audience. The free concerts return August 7 featuring Brian Moore and his band.

With her foot on the treadle, Celeste Northcott of Haywood, California gets a hands-on lesson in spinning wool from Jean Farrell. The demonstration was one of many at the annual Quilt, Rug and Fibre Arts Show this past weekend at the Minden Arena. For more photos from the show, see page 21.

Bat Lake motor ban

by Jerry Grozelle

It took about seven years, but the majority of property owners around Bat Lake have finally got their way.

The council of Anson, Hindon and Minden has supported the Bat Lake Ratepayers' Association in its bid to have gas powered outboard motors banned from the lake.

The overwhelming majority of property owners around the lake favour such a ban. But not everybody supports it. Angelo Del Favero, who has owned property on Bat Lake for about five years, said he would agree

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Give the gift of life

It is time for everyone to roll up his or her sleeves and lie down. A blood donor clinic is scheduled for this July 28.

The clinic will be held at the Haliburton Legion Hall on Mountain Street, from 1:00 to 7:00 p.m. Donors between the ages of 17 and 60 are invited to give the gift of life. At this time of the year, blood supplies are low and donors are needed. Please give the gift of life.

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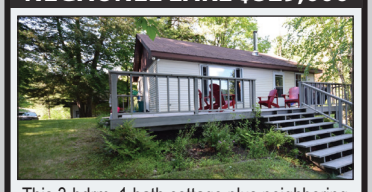
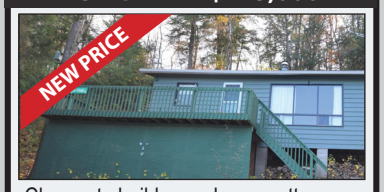


This 3-bdrm, 1 bath cottage plus neighboring vacant waterfront lot are being sold TOGETHER. With a combined total frontage of 306 ft. Double detached insulated garage with studio loft. Level to sloping yard. Bright open concept living Stunning lake views. Bunkie located on the additional vacant waterfront lot. Negaunee is a no motor lake. This package won't last long.

LONG LAKE $445,000



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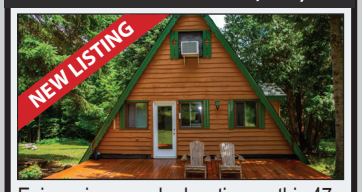

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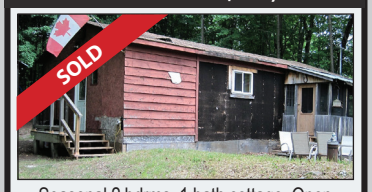

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